

**60th Meteoritical Society Meeting
Maui Prince Hotel, Maui, Hawai'i
July 21–25, 1997**

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

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Sunday, July 20, 1997

1:00 p.m.	Hale Hana	Meteoritical Society Council Meeting
4:00–6:00 p.m.	Hotel Lobby	Registration
6:00–8:00 p.m.	Pu’u Ola’i Gardens	Welcoming Party

Monday, July 21, 1997

8:30–9:45 a.m.	Prince Ballroom	Plenary Session: Medalist Award Talks
9:45 a.m.–12:00 noon	Prince Ballroom	Plenary Session: Current Mission Results
12:00 noon	Hale Hana	Nomenclature Committee Meeting
1:30–5:00 p.m.	Wailea Salon	Environment and Nature of Bacterial Life on Earth (and Mars?)
	Makena Salon	Presolar Grains and Nucleosynthesis

Tuesday, July 22, 1997

8:30 a.m.–12:00 noon	Wailea Salon	Lunar Meteorite Parent Body: Sample Studies and Geology
	Makena Salon	Formation of Chondrules, CAIs, and Other Solar Nebula Processes
12:00 noon	Hale Hana	<i>Meteoritics & Planetary Science</i> Editorial Board Meeting
1:30–5:30 p.m.	Wailea Salon	History of Mars from Martian Meteorites
	Makena Salon	Chondrules and Chondrule Formation
5:30–7:30 p.m.	Hale Makena	Poster Session

Wednesday, July 23, 1997

8:30–11:30 a.m.	Wailea Salon	Comets, Dust, and IDPs
	Makena Salon	Differentiated Meteorites
11:30 a.m.–12:00 noon	Wailea Salon	Meteoritical Society Business Meeting
1:30 p.m.	Field Trip to Lava Flow (meet in hotel lobby)	
2:00 p.m.	Visit to Maui High Performance Computer Center (meet in computer center)	
5:30–6:30 p.m.	Holokai Pavilion	Cocktail Party
6:30–7:15 p.m.	Prince Ballroom	Presentation of Awards
7:30–10:00 p.m.	Pu'u Ola'i Gardens	Annual Banquet

Thursday, July 24, 1997

8:30 a.m.–12:00 noon	Wailea Salon	Ordinary Chondrites
	Makena Salon	Craters, Cratering, and the Cratered
1:30–5:00 p.m.	Wailea Salon	Early Solar System Chronology and Cosmic-Ray Exposure Ages
	Makena Salon	Terrestrial Planets and Vesta

Friday, July 25, 1997

8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.	Wailea Salon	Carbonaceous Chondrites
8:30 a.m.–12:00 noon	Makena Salon	Iron and Metal-rich Meteorites

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